

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Confirmation No. 4686

Takao TSUBOUCHI

Docket No. 2004-0393A

Serial No. 10/797,047

Group Art Unit 3722

Filed March 11, 2004

Examiner Monica S. Carter

HANDBOOK AND METHOD FOR

MAKING SAME

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE

FEE FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT

ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975.

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action of September 7, 2004, a Petition for a one month extension of time being filed concurrently herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows.